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Art Unit: 3763

For: NEEDLELESS INJECTION DEVICE AND
CARTRIDGES

Examiner: Q. VU

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

I. REFUND REQUEST

This is a request for a refund with respect to the charge to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 shown on the statement for the month of May 2010 for the above-identified

- ☐ application ☒ patent
☒ A copy of the monthly statement is enclosed.

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II. FEES CHARGED FOR WHICH REFUND REQUESTED

	AMOUNT OF REFUND REQUESTED
<input type="checkbox"/> filing fee	
<input type="checkbox"/> search fee	
<input type="checkbox"/> examination fee	
<input type="checkbox"/> surcharge for filing the basic filing fee or oath/declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e))	
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TOTAL REFUND REQUESTED	\$755

III. EXPLANATION OF WHY CONTESTED CHARGE IS IN ERROR

Application is a small entity but Issue Fee payment made was that of large entity.

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- ☒ enclosing a copy of the Application Transmittal in which Small Entity is claimed.
☐ filed herewith
☒ filed on February 21, 2006 with application

V. MANNER OF REFUND

It is respectfully requested that the excess fee of \$755 be credited to Deposit Account No. 02-2448.

VI. REMARKS

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.28(a), applicants hereby request a refund of 50% of the Filing Fee. Small entity status has been established by the filing of a written statement on February 21, 2006.

Small entity applicants may file the necessary Statement within three (3) months of the date of payment of any particular fee and request a refund. The present application qualifies for the reduced fees as implemented by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 1, 1982, and further amended on January 20, 1983 and September 8, 2000.

Favorable action on the present Request is respectfully requested.

Dated: August 5, 2010

Respectfully submitted,

By

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 3347-0105PUS1
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/HU2004/000083	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 11 August 2004	U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) 10/568981
TITLE OF INVENTION NEEDLELESS INJECTION DEVICE AND CARTRIDGES		RECEIVING DATE CLAIMED 21 August 2003
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US István LINDMAYER		

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- ☒ This is a **FIRST** submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- ☐ This is a **SECOND** or **SUBSEQUENT** submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- ☒ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- ☐ The US has been elected (Article 31).
- ☒ A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - ☒ is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - ☐ has been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - ☐ is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- ☐ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
 - ☐ is attached hereto.
 - ☐ has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- ☒ Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 18 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - ☒ are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - ☐ have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - ☐ have not been made and will not be made.
- ☐ An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 18 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
- ☒ An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- ☐ An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

- ☒ An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- ☐ An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- ☒ A preliminary amendment.
- ☐ An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
- ☐ A substitute specification.
- ☐ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
- ☐ A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 - 1.825.
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- ☐ A second copy of the English language translation of the International application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

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The following fees have been submitted		
21. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Basic national fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)) \$300	CALCULATIONS \$ 300.00	PTO USED ONLY
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TOTAL OF 21, 22 and 23 =		\$ 900.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821(c) or (e) or computer program listing in an electronic medium) (37 CFR 1.492(j)). The fee is \$250 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.		
Total Sheets 29 - 100 =	Extra Sheets 50 =	Number of each additional 50 or fraction thereof (round up to a whole number) 1
		RATE \$ 250.00
Surcharge of \$130 for furnishing any of the search fee, examination fee, or the oath or declaration after the date of commencement of the national stage (37 CFR 1.492(h)).		\$
CLAIMS Total claims 14 - 20 =	NUMBER FILED 14 - 20 =	RATE \$ 0.00
Independent claims 3 - 3 =	3 - 3 =	\$ 0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM(S) (if applicable)		
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =		\$ 900.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Fees above are reduced by 1/2.		450.00
SUBTOTAL =		\$ 450.00
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TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =		\$ 450.00
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property.		\$
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED =		\$ 450.00
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